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***Via Electronic Submission***

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W., Room TW-A325  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: *Notice of Ex Parte Communication***  
*CG Docket No. 04-208 and CC Docket No. 98-170*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This letter is to inform you that on October 31, 2005, Luisa L. Lancetti and Charles W. McKee of Sprint Nextel Corporation met with Jay Keithley, Gene Fullano and Peter Tenhula of the Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau to discuss Sprint Nextel's Comments on the *Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking* in the above referenced dockets.

Sprint Nextel presented information regarding its current disclosure practices, the status of various state efforts to regulate wireless billing practices and rate structures, and the potential impact of such regulation on wireless billing systems. Sprint Nextel emphasized that its current disclosure practices advise consumers of the nature and amount of taxes, surcharges and other fees and disputed claims that additional regulation of wireless billing practices is necessary. Sprint Nextel also discussed the role of Section 332 of the Communications Act in excluding state regulation of wireless rates and the importance of a single federal regime governing wireless services.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter is being electronically filed with your office. Please associate this letter with the file in the above referenced proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Luisa L. Lancetti  
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cc: Jay Keithley  
Gene Fullano  
Peter Tenhula